

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: John N. DODGEN
SERIAL NO. : 10/680,672
FILED : October 7, 2003
TITLE : METHOD OF CREATING AN AUDIO/VIDEO
PRESENTATION FOR FUNERALS
Group/A.U. : 2611
Examiner : Thuy-Vi Thi Nguyen
Conf. No. : 5448
Docket No. : P06686US0

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Dear Sir:

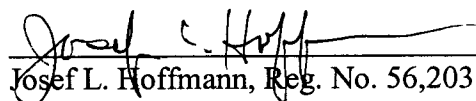
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated October 3, 2007, rejecting claims 1-5.

Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. The items checked below are appropriate:

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Respectfully submitted,

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